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EIGHTH SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 CFR § 1.56, it is respectfully requested that this Eighth Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement be entered and the documents listed below and on the attached Form PTO-1449 be considered by the Examiner and made of record. Copies of the listed documents required by 37 CFR § 1.98(a)(2), if any, are enclosed for the convenience of the Examiner. The references now cited are the following:

Patent No.	Name	Date
US 6,874,010	Sargent	03/29/2005
US 6,988,249	Arvanitis et al.	01/17/2006
US 7,020,697	Goodman et al.	03/28/2006
US 7,068,680	Kaltenmark et al.	06/27/2006

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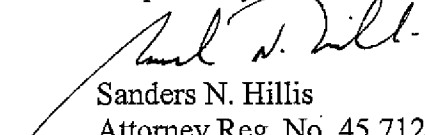
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Applicant(s) respectfully request that the listed documents be made of record in the present case.

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